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ITALY.

Report from Naples—Inspection of vessels—Rejection of emigrants recommended—Smallpox in Italy.

Assistant Surgeon Foster reports, January 8, as follows: During the week ended January 6, 1906, the following ships were inspected at Naples and Palermo:

NAPLES.

Date.		Name of ship.	Destination.	Steerage passengers inspected and passed.	Pieces of large bag- gage in- spected and passed.	Pieces of baggage disin- fected.				
	31 31 3 6 6	Massilia Brasile Brooklyn Republic Sicilia	do		60 150 110 45	650 1, 470 850 420				
PALERMO.										
Jan.	4	Vincenzo Florio	New Orleans	806	340	681				

Rejections recommended.

NAPLES.

Date.	Name of ship.	Tra- choma.	Favus.	Suspected trachoma.	Suspected favus.	Other causes.	Total.
Dec. 31 31 Jan. 3 6 6	Massilia Brasile Brooklyn Republic Sicilia	9 27	2	8 9		1 2	18 40
		10 7	2 2	15 1		$\frac{2}{2}$	29 12
	Total	53	6	33		7	99

PALERMO.

Jan. 4	١l	Vincenzo Florio	68	 35	 8	111

Smallpox.—Week ended January 11, 1906, 6 cases at Caltanisetta, 9 cases at Terranova (Caltanisetta), 2 cases at Anguillara (Rome), 2 cases at Genoa, 3 cases in the Province of Brescia.

JAPAN.

Report from Yokohama—Inspection of vessels—Plague in Kobe, Osaka, and Shimonoseki—Measures to prevent spread of infection.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Moore reports, December 23, as follows: During the week ended December 16, 1905, bills of health were issued, after inspection, to 4 vessels, having an aggregate personnel of 374 crew and 751 passengers; 216 steerage passengers were bathed and their clothing was disinfected; 576 aliens, would-be steerage passengers to the United States and its possessions, were examined with special